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FIRST EDITION

FARES TO WASHINGTON.

A Threatening Controversy Between the Parties to the Monopoly-Jenkinson and Rivalries-New Lines to be Established.

The subject of cheap fares from Washington to New York and the West, which has been the commencement of each session of Congress, comes before the public, is exciting more than the usual amount of controversy this winter.

Hitherto all the talk has been aimed at the railroad companies, whose combination made the transportation of freight and passengers a monopoly in their hands.

The fact is, that so far from making every effort, as it has been reported, to raise the rates of fare, the companies between this city and Baltimore have been earnestly pressing upon the Baltimore and Ohio company a proposition for a large reduction upon through rates.

While the Baltimore and Ohio Company charge twenty-five cents out of each fare, the other companies claim no extra charge for the transportation through West Philadelphia, by which a great saving of time is effected.

THE UNCAPTURED FEMANS.

The Irish Heroes Decline a Public Reception - Scenes at Sweeney's - The N. Y. World of this morning says: - Upon the arrival of the guests at Sweeney's the banner of Erin was displayed from the flag-staff of the hall.

There were nearly three thousand callers upon the prisoners, and the rush was not abated till long after they had retired to the rest and sleep which they so much needed.

THE GALLOWES.

Justice Vindicated in Vermont - Hanging a Land Henry Welcome, a young man but nineteen years old, paid the awful penalty of death at Windsor, Vt., yesterday, for the murder of a man named Perry Russell in September last.

THE CULPRIT'S LAST WORDS.

A moment of silence, and Welcome began: - I cannot say much. Words are inadequate to express my feelings. I hope my situation and fate will be an example to those who are in my company and low-bred places, and obey their parents and stay at home.

SECOND EDITION

To-day's Cable News.

The Bombardment of Paris.

The Siege of Longwy.

English Non-Intervention.

Crime in the West.

Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

Ficken's Bail, Court of Quarter Sessions. The rule taken in the matter of the bail of Richard Ficken was called this morning, and Mr. Cassidy produced the Governor's pardon, remitting that forfeiture.

The Power of the Recorder. In the case of the trial of Dr. Reed vs. Hoer, in which the Recorder issued a writ of habeas corpus, and a bill of indictment was found by the Grand Jury notwithstanding that writ, an argument was heard this morning.

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FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

EVERING TELEGRAPH OFFICE. Saturday, Jan. 21, 1871. The Philadelphia money market shows increased ease, the supply of currency being in excess of the demand.

FROM THE WEST.

Murder in Cincinnati. Cincinnati, Jan. 21.—Last night Frederick Kohers, who has been waiting on Minnie Willinghoff, of Covington, called at her residence there to see her.

FROM NEW ENGLAND.

Yet Another Holland Benefit. Boston, Jan. 21.—The Holland Benefit Society, under the name of the Globe Theatre for an entertainment in behalf of the Holland fund.

FROM NEW YORK.

Specie Shipment. New York, Jan. 21.—Export of specie to-day \$250,000.

CONGRESS.

House of Representatives. The House of Representatives met this morning, Mr. Tanner in the chair, for general debate only.

DEATHS IN THE MINES.

The Disaster in the Coal Mines During 1870. The Pottsville Mineral Journal of to-day gives detailed statements of the disasters in the coal mining regions of the State during the year 1870.

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Treasury Printing. WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The members of the House Committee on Banking and Currency were at the Treasury Department to-day examining into the printing operations.

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French Sufferers. by the war has been in operation two weeks, and has been successful beyond the expectations of those having it in charge.

FROM THE PACIFIC COAST.

The "Young America." SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—The ship Young America, which grounded near Cape Siroque and threw overboard part of her cargo, was found to be uninjured when taken into dock.

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Mortality Among Cattle. The cattle are dying in some parts of the State for want of grass. The weather is clear, and the thermometer at noon stood at 63.

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Hidden Treasure is quoted at \$350; Crown Point, \$20; Belcher, \$1025; Sierra Nevada, \$18; Golden Chariot, \$81; Yellow Jacket, \$3825; Overman, \$550; Savage, \$4875; Salada, \$6850; Valley City, \$450; Gould & Curry, \$49; Hall & Norcross, \$101; Imperial, \$1350.

FROM THE PLAINS.

The New Silver Mines. SANTA FE, Jan. 20.—The Los Cruces correspondent of the Daily Post gives glowing accounts of the yield of ore from the new silver mines near Kalston.

FROM THE DOMINION.

The Cable Interruptions. ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Jan. 21.—Repairing steamer Robert Lowe returned to the harbor last evening, being driven from the vicinity of the cable interruptions by floating ice.

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The Batteries are Being Reopened. A general attack is said to be organized to-morrow to include St. Denis and Valerien. Twenty-two batteries are now in position available for bombardment.

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NEGOTIATIONS FOR PEACE.

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The Retreat of Bourbaki.

Matters at Washington.

The National Soldiers' Asylum.

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Mr. Welch's Charges Sustained.

FROM EUROPE.

The Paris Bombardment—A Temporary Lull. VERSAILLES, Jan. 17.—(Special to the N.Y. Telegram).—There has been silence for 24 hours, with the exception of an occasional boom of Valerien.

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After the adjournment the reporters rushed in, and the secretary, Mr. Bingham, ordered the stenographer to give the precious documents to them, and they got the manifesto ready to make the copies of it, when just as the printing was beginning to read, Bishop James rushed up in hot haste and forbade the paper being given, alleging that it was not perfect, and needed some alterations.

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